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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of: REID *et al.*

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Examiner: Q. Nguyen, PH.D.

For: LIVER TISSUE SOURCE

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

P.O. BOX 1450
Commissioner for Patents
Alexandria, VA 22313

Sir:

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated September 15, 2005 and in accordance with the Rules of Practice, applicants resubmit amended claim 1 as required. A complete listing of the claims as amended June 28, 2005 has been included for the convenience of the Examiner.

Applicants do not believe that there are any fees due in connection with this filing, however, any deficiency in or overpayment in fees should be charged or credited to Deposit Account No. 50-1710.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.